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In re application of: Dominic P. Behan and Derek J. Chalmers

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RECEPTORS USEFUL IN THE TREATMENT OF DISEASE

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed November 19, 2002, in connection with the above referenced patent application, a request for a one month extension of time for response and appropriate payment submitted herewith, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendment below, without prejudice, and reconsideration of the rejections of record in view of the following remarks:

In the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. Please cancel claims 75 and 76, without prejudice.